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Dear ABA Provider,

CSHCS is now able to accept and process Prior Authorization (PA) for ABA T-codes.

The acceptable T-codes are 0364T and 0365T or 0368T and 0369T. CSHCS will write PAs for these codes if the participant has primary insurance coverage that requires the billing of T-codes. Please remember that our policy still does **not** allow paraprofessionals to give ABA therapy to our participants. CSHCS must know the number of hours per week that the BCBA or BCaBA directly supervised by the BCBA on site will provide ABA therapy.

If an ABA provider has a PA in place for 2015 with 97532 or 96152 for a participant, please understand that the Claims section cannot pay for the same dates of service for T-codes and 97532 or 96152.

The maximum benefit for each participant remains \$10,000 per calendar year.

If you have any questions regarding these changes, please contact the Prior Authorization Unit at 1-800-475-1355, Option 3.

Thank you,

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